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WHEAT GOES HIGHER AGAIN.

MAY GAINS 1 1-2e OVER MONDAY'S CLOSE, BUT HOLDS ONLY 1-2e.

Big Bulge at St. Louis Responsible for the Bullishness-All Other Markets Dull-Corn and Oats Were Unchanged.

Chicago, March 2.-The local wheat market had its tail thoroughly twisted by St. Louis to-day. The sharp bulge and equally sharp break there were closely followed here, the May option closing at 1/2 adure, the session being the liveliest seen in ne time. All the other pits were very dull, corn and oats closing at substantially

Russian crop damage to wheat was a new string the buils had to play on when busi-ness in the pit commenced. They twanged upon it to so much advantage that in an the per bushel. Whether inspired by the example of Chicago or because the Russian damage was the stimulus at Liverpool, wheat there, which opened with the modest gain of from ¼d to ¼d, was 1¾d higher for the day when next heard from. That market made its influence decidedly felt all day. May wheat, which closed yesterday at 55½675½c, opened to-day at 75½675½c, and sold at 76½c before an hour had gone by. The built music kept up until about 11:30 o clock, when a cablegram from Liverpool to a prominent house here threw it into a howling discord which gave the bears their opportunity. The Liverpool cable referred to read; "Advance in futures due to shorts covering; spot wheat pressed for sale without buyers; Russian offerings increasing." That and a sudden collapse of a previously pronounced builtsh wheat market at St. Louis caused a stampede of the buils here. St. Louis, which yesterday at the close quoted May wheat at 87½c, hoisted it in the first hour to-day to 85½c and let the bottom fall out afterward. The suddenness of the drop made speculators fairly shiver and sent May tumbling from 76½c to 75½c.

Chicago receipts of wheat were thirty-nine cars, and shipments by rail, 111.524 bushels. Minneapolis and Duiuth reported 259 cars received, against 608 a week ago, and 338 last year. Atlantic port exports of wheat were thirty-nine cars, and shipments by rail, 111.524 bushels. Minneapolis and Duiuth reported 250 cars received, against 608 a week ago, and 338 last year. Atlantic port exports of wheat were thirty-nine been reduced 4085.000 bushels last week. 1895.000 bushels of it here and 2.256.000 bushels in and affoat for Europe. May railied from 75½c to 75½c, but the buil feeling had been so largely squeezed out that it turned down again to 75½c, and closed at 75½c, 55½c.

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Corn was very quiet all day, and even when wheat traders were tumbling over themselves in their eagerness to buy or sell, no sympathetic interest was displayed. The general feeling was firm, but fluctuations were confined to %c. Receipts were liberal, and exports were much lighter than of late, 89,000 bushels. May opened unchanged, at 24%c, advanced to 24%c, then reacted to 24%c, where it closed.

The market for oats was dull to the extent of stupidity. Business was much smaller than an average neglected session aggregates, and absolutely nothing of any interest was reported of trade. The feeling was steady, a shade higher. May opened at 17%c, sold at 17%c, and closed at 17%c.

Provisions were casy and dull. It was in a measure a day of liquidation by longs, the consequence being that yesterday's advance was all lost. There was but little outside demand, and the hog market was weaker. At the close, May pork was 7%c lower, at 44.05, and May ribs, 5c lower, at 4.17%c.

Estimated receipts Wednesday: Wheat, 12 cars; corn, 249 cars; oats, 150 cars; hogs, 40,000.

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ers of cash grain, in consequence wanted better prices, but buyers were slow in meeting their views. Yet there was finally fair trading in a quiet way and best samples closed a little better. By sample on track here at Kansas City: No. 2 hard, 2 cars at 76c, 3 cars at 76c, 2 cars choice at 80c and 1 car choice with special billing at 81c; No. 2 spring, 3 curs at 78c, 2 cars at 76c, 2 cars at 76c, 1 car with no billing at 75c and 1 car at 75c, 2 cars at 76c and 1 car at 75½; 2 cars at 76c and 1 car at 75½; 2 cars at 76c and 1 car at 75c; No. 3 spring, 2 cars at 75c and 1 car at 75c; No. 4 hard, 1 car choice at at 68c, 1 car spring at 65c and 1 car red at 73c; No. 2 rejected, 1 car choice at at 68c, 1 car spring at 65c and 1 car red at 73c; No. 2 red, nominal at 316;52c; No. 3 red, 886;90c, 2 cars at 39c; No. 4 red, 896;85c.

There was not so much in yesterday and holders were more independent, with a firmer feeling in white; but mixed only steady. By sample on track here at Kansas City; No. 2 mixed, 1 car at 16%c, 4 cars at 15c; May, 18½c bid, 18¼ asked; No. 3 mixed, 6 cars at 16½c and 2 cars at 16%c; no. 4 mixed, 5 cars at 16½c and 2 cars at 16%c; no grade, 1 car at 15½c; No. 2 white, 8 cars at 19c; No. 3 white, 18½618%c, 1 car special billing at 18½c; No. 4 mixed, 2 cars at 15½c.

special billing at 18%c; No. 4 mixed, 2 cars at 17%c.

OATS-Receipts past 24 hours... 18,000 Same time last year... 13,000 Shipments... 18,000 The offerings yesterday were again good as to quantity but poor in quality, hence a dull and weak market and trading light. By sample on track here at Kansas City: No. 2 mixed, nominal at 16% 17c; No. 3 mixed, 15% 15%c; No. 4 mixed, 16% 17c; No. 2 white, nominal at 18% 21c; No. 3 white, 3 cars at 16%c, 1 car at 16% c, 2 cars at 17c; No. 4 white, 1 car at 16% c, 2 cars at 17c; No. 2 white, 2 cars at 16% c, 2 cars at 17c; No. 2 white, 2 cars at 17c;

nominal. By sample on track here at Kensas City: No. 2, 2046/314c; No. 3, 20

Kensas City: No. 2, 2016/311/c; No. 3, 20
620c.
FLOUR-Demand a little better and prices firm, without being quotably higher. Quoted as follows: Soft wheat, per 100 pound sack, patents, \$2.466/2.50; extra fancy, \$2.266/2.50; fancy, \$2.166/2.20; choice, \$1.20 (caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points advance; March, per 120, 14 (caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points advance. March, per 120, 14 (caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower; ruled quiet all day, with trading entirely local; European cables were unfavorable, and caused the better feeling; closed steady, unchanged to 5 points advance; March, caused the better feeling; closed the better feeling; closed the better feeling; closed th

acked. FLAXSEED-Higher and in good de-nand. Cash, 68070c per bushel, upon the

Yesterday's Chicago Markets. Furnished by the French Bros. Commis-tion Company, room 22, Board of Trade

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Mon.
Wheat- March May July				\$ 74% 75% 72%	\$ 7414 754 729
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contract. 2 cars. Spring wheat, 12 cars; contract. 2 cars. Spring wheat, 25 cars; contract, none. Corn, 476 cars; contract, 86 cars. Oats, 299 cars; contract, 44 cars.
Estimated for to-day—Wheat, 12 cars; corn. 240 cars; oats, 150 cars.
WHEAT—Cast.—No. 2 red. 86657c; No. 3 red. 50656c; No. 2 hard, 80652c; No. 3 hard, 72676c.
CORN—Cash—No. 2 mixed, 22%623c; No. 2 white 22%625c. White, 22%@55c. OATS—Cash—No. 2 mixed, 16%c; No. 2 white, 19920c.

Grain Notes.

Pacific coast stocks of wheat decreased 1.148,000 bushels in February.

The four Atlantic ports cleared for export yesterday 107,000 bushels of wheat. 32,000 packages of flour, 329,000 bushels of corn and 70,459 bushels of oats. Total wheat and flour clearances were 224,000 bushels.

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A London cable says that the final official report makes the 1896 Russian wheat crop total 237,640,000 bushels, against 285,120,000 bushels the year previous and 464,204,000 bushels the year previous and 464,204,000 bushels two years ago. The growing crops are seriously damaged.

Receipts at primary markets yesterday were 241,000 bushels of wheat, against 228,000 bushels a year ago, and 640,000 bushels of corn. against 494,000 bushels a year ago. Shipments yesterday were 273,000 bushels of wheat, against 144,000 bushels a year ago.

F. G. Logan says: As showing the importance of stoppage of California wheat shipments. Beerbohm, of February 15, reports 11,280,000 bushels afloat "for orders," of which 8,640,000 bushels afloat "for orders," of which 8,640,000 bushels are California, and of 6,800,000 bushels of wheat afloat for direct ports of the United Kingdom, 3,120,000 are from California.

Bradstreet's weekly statement of grain stocks showed a decrease of 1,809,000 bushels in the Rockies, and a decrease of 2,200,000 in Europe and afloat, making a decrease of 4,009,000 bushels in the world's available supply. Corn decreased 514,000 bushels.

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oats increased 514,000 bushels.

F. G. Logan says: One wheat cable shows an improved tone this morning, affected by Russian crop report damage and other figures, probably which influenced American markets yesterday. It seems more than likely that these low world's shipments and reduced American visible supply will soon result in more inquiry, both consumptive and speculative, for wheat.

wheat.

Receipts of wheat in Liverpool the past three days were 195,000 centals, including 84,000 American. The receipts of American corn during the past three days were 207,-200 centals. Weather overcast.

The stocks of provisions in Chicago at the close of February were: Mess pork, 102,000 barrels; old pork, 59,000 barrels; lard, contract, 243,185 tierces, and other kinds, 9,374 tierces; ribs, 25,750,000 pounds.

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-	A week ago		109	235	304	649
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LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

South Omaha, March 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,400. Market a shade lower. Beeves, \$3,4024.45; stockers and feeders, \$3,0024.15; cows. \$1,7563.40.

cows, 11.75@3.40.
HOGS—Receipts, 6,900. Prices weak to 5c lower. Top, \$3.55; bulk, \$3.45@3.50.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2.200. Market firm. St. Louis, March 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,600. Market steady. Native beeves, \$1.50@4.70; top fed Texans, \$3.80.
HOGS—Receipts, 8,300. Bulk, 5c lower. Top, \$3.75; bulk, \$3.55@3.65.
SHEEP—Receipts, 300. Market steady. Lambs, \$3.00@5.10; sheep, \$2.00@4.25. Chicago, March 2.-CATTLE-Receipts

2,500. There was only a moderate demand, prices showing no improvement despite the meager supply of fed cattle on the market. Most of the cattle sold at \$3,9064.90, and sales above \$5.00 were scarce. Western fed steers were rather numerous and sold at \$2,6564.65. There was a good trade in stockers and feeders at \$3,3564.20.

HOGS—Receipts, 25,000. Offerings were quite moderate, but the feeling was weaker and sales were largely at a decline of 2%c. Common to best brought \$3,3563.75, and sales were largely at \$3,6063.70. Market closed strong. and sales were largely at \$5.000,5.0. Market closed strong.

SHEEP—Receipts, 15,000. All of to-day's arrivals of sheep were readily disposed of at \$2.0004.00 for poor to choice. Mexicans sold as low as \$2.50 for common, and sold as high as \$4.30 for prime; Western sheep sold up to \$4.55; yearlings brought \$4.000, 4.50, and lambs \$3.5002.75, sales being largebrat \$4.50075.00.

ly at \$4.50%5.00.

WOOL—Demand fair and market firm. Missouri and similar—Fine, 668c; combing, 8612c; coarse, 19611c. Kansas, Nebraska and Indian Territory—Fine, 466c; fine medium, 568c; medium, 6610c; combing, 8610c; coarse, 768c. Colorado—Fine, 668c; fine medium, 769c; medium, 8610c; coarse and carpet, 768c; extra heavy and sandy, 566c. HIDES AND PELTS—Steady and in fair demand. Green and salted, free of brands, flat, per pound, No. 1, 75c; No. 2, 65c; free of brands, flat, 6½c; green salted, side branded, No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5c; green salted kips, 15 to 25 pounds, No. 1, 7c; green, salted calf, 8 to 15 pounds, No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7c; green, uncured, No. 1, 5½c. Sheep pelts, green, 25650c; dry, 465c per pound.

St. Louls, March 2—WOOL—Unchanged. WOOL-Demand fair and market firm. pound.
St. Louis, March 2.—WOOL—Unchanged.
Medium, 10@12½c; light fine, 7½@11c; heavy
fine, 6@3c; tub washed, 15@20½c.

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the Controlling Feature and

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There is still a plethora of money everywhere, and the acceptable demand for loans light. Both East and West loan balances are reported large and discounts light. In New York loans again decreased \$1,085,090, and deposits increased \$1,085,090, making them now, in the clearing house banks alone, \$573,769,200. The surplus reserve increased \$1,855,025, making it now \$57,520,975 above the 25 per cent rule, or that much money for which there seems to be no use; and this oversupply of funds has influence: A decline in call money, which touched \$1,521,40 per cent, and time paper is quoted at 264 per cent, and even these rates failed to draw any noticeable demand. But little mercantile paper offering; jobbers reporting collections fairly good, and are working within their means. Business men, as a rule, are still pursuing a cautious policy, thus interfering with the demand for funds. Here in the West, as well as East, the loan market continues dull and easy. Chicago and St. Louis both reporting much idle money on hand, and but little demand; and here at Kansas City discounts continue light. Some little cattle and grain paper is being made, but the new loans are more than being taken care of by maturing obligations. The banks all report large reserves. Rates are nominal at 268 per cent, though money is very easy at this, and on choice collections even lower figures might be obtained on short dates. Currency shipments to the country continue fair; it being tax assessing time in Kansas, many legal tenders are being called for from that state. The payment of Indian awards is calling currency to that country, and the free movement of corn to market is also helping to draw currency to the interior. Bank clearings for the week ending Tuesday, \$10,290,346; same week last year, \$2,87,81, an increase of 5 per cent.

of 5 per cent.

Eastern exchange dull and weak.

Houston, Fible & Co., exchange brokers, quote it as follows: New York, 69c discount; Chicago, 49c discount; St. Louis, 40c The gold reserve yesterday was \$148,-733,731.

Money at Home and Abroad. New York, March 2.—Money on call nominal at 1½@1½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 364 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.87½ for demand and at \$4.85½ for sixty days. Posted rates, \$4.86 and \$4.88. Commercial bills, \$4.84½.

London, March 2.—Money, 1½@1½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills, 1½@1½ per cent.

1% per cent. New York, March 2.—Clearings, \$123,871,-666; balances, \$7,384,079. Boston, March 2.—Clearings, \$31,255,758; Boston, March 2.—Clearings, \$31,255,758; balances, \$1,951,095. Philadelphia, March 2.—Clearings, \$12,825,-148; balances, \$1,581,714.

Baltimore, March 2.—Clearings, \$2,967,427; balances, \$273,077.

Cincinnati, March 2.—Money, 466 per cent. New York exchange, 50c discount. Clearings, \$1,849,400.

Chlcago, March 2.—Clearings, \$15,020,565.

New York exchange, 60c discount. Foreign exchange steady; demand, \$4,87%; sixty days, \$4,855%.

St. Louis, March 2.—Clearings, \$4,969,475; balances, \$1,679,972. Money, 567 per cent. New York exchange, 50c discount bid; 25c discount asked. liscount asked.

Memphis, March 2.—Clearings, \$390,604;
balances, \$76,387. New York exchange sell-

Silver. New York, March 2.—Bar silver, 64%c, and Mexican dollars, 50%c. London, March 2.—Bar silver, 20%d per

Government Bonds

ing at \$1 premium.

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State and Railroad Bonds.

New York, March 2.—Closing quotations on the New York Stock exchange: Alabama, class A, 104; Alabama, class B, 104; Alabama class B, 104; Alabama class B, 104; Alabama currency, 28; Louisiana new consols, 48; 26; Missouri 68, 100; North Carolina 68, 122; North Carolina 48, 102½; South Carolina non-fund, ½; Tennessee new settlement 38, 105; Tennessee new settlement 38, 77; Tennessee old 68, 60; Virginia centuries, 62; Virginia deferred, 6; Atchison 48, 22½; Atchison 2d A, 61½; Canada Southern 368, 105; Central Pacific 1sts of '95, 102½; Denver & Rio Grande 78, 111½; Denver & Rio Grande 48, 88½; Erie 2ds, 65; G., H. & S. A. 68, 104; G., H. & S. A. 78, 36; Houston & Texas Central 58, 104; Missouri, Kansas & Texas 1st 48, 84½; Missouri, Kansas & Texas 2d 48, 59½; Mutual Union 68, 110; New Jersey Central general 58, 116½; Northern Pacific 1sts, 115½; Northern Pacific 2ds, 35½; Northwest consols, 111½; Northwest S. F. debenture 58, 111; Rio Grande Western 1sts, 73½; St. Paul consols, 78, 132; St. P., C. & P. W. 58, 113½; St. L. & I. M. Seneral 58, 15; St. L. & S. F. general 68, 112; Texas Pacific 1sts, 212; Union Pacific 1sts of '96, 101½; West Shore 48, 10042.

Stocks and Bonds. State and Railroad Bonds.

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New York, March 2.—The reason for the recent sensational advances in the Lake Shore stock was disclosed to day when the announcement was made in Wall street that the directors of the company had authorized an issue of \$30,000,000 of 3½ per cent 100-year gold bonds, the proceeds to be used for the retirement of the present bonded debt as it matures in the next few years, or in advance of maturity, as arrangements may be made with the holders. Coupled with this was an announcement that the directors had accepted an offer from a well known banking house for the entire issue at 102½. The bonds fom the retirement of which provisions have been made amount in the aggregate to \$43,002,000, \$2,705,000 of which matures on April 1, 1889, \$355,000 on April 1, 1899, \$14,440,000 on July 1, 1800, and \$24,652,000 on February 1, 1903. It is caiculated the saving in annual interest charges by the completion of the refunding will amount to \$1,500,000, from which the stock will benefit. This is to be the largest transaction in railroad bonds ever made in this country, and with one exception it is said to be the highest price ever paid for American railroad bonds. The market opened with a show of strength, but yielded before long to the effect of a marked depression in Jersey Central, which was sold down 2 points on continued uneasiness as to the financial status of Lehigh Valley and Wilkesbarre, its subsidiary coal company. There were some fractional reactions near the close, but the close was generally firm, with gains of a fraction, as a rule, on the day.

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The bond market continues to furnish striking evidences of the piethora of bonds at this center, and which there is really no demand for, owing to the congested stock speculation. The transactions in the high grade mortgages are limited only to the amount offered, and investors are more reasonably disposed to take blocks of lower grade issues, promising a reasonable return on a revival of speculative activity.

The following was the range of prices resterday, as furnished by the C. S. Lec commission Company, 200 New York Life wildling.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York, March 2.—BUTTER—Receipts, 8.886 packages. Steady; Western creamery, 116:19c; Elgins, 19c; factory, 76:12½c; CHEESE—Receipts, 2,509 packages, Quiet; state, large, 96/12½c; small, 96/12½; part

steady. Quoted at 35635c per cwt., bulk. CORN CHOP-Demand very light, but prices steady. Quoted at 33634c per cwt., bulk western, 134c.

Receipts, 9,708 packages. Dull; Western, 13½c.
Chicago, March 2.—FLOUR—Receipts, 10,-000 barrels; shipments, 8,000 barrels. Firm; winter patents, \$4,304,50; straights, \$4,006,45; straights, \$4,003,70; bakers grades, \$3,0063,40. BUT-TER—Firm; creamery, 14618c; dairy, 9616c.
St. Louis, March 2.—FLOUR—Receipts, 3.-000 barrels; shipments, 10,000 barrels. Market quiet. Patents, \$4,5564,65; extra fancy, \$4,1064,29; fancy, \$1,5663,70; choice, \$3,106, \$25. WHEAT—Receipts, 8,000 bushels; shipments, 52,000 bushels; shipments, 65,000 bushels; shipments, 65,000 bushels; shipments, 65,000 bushels; shipments, 66,000 bushels. Spot, 1½c higher. No. 2 cash, 17c bid; May, 175c bid, BRAN—Continues firm with but little to be had, sacked, east track, worth, nominally, 506, 51c. HAY—Quiet. Prairie, \$4,0067,50; timothy, \$6,00610,00. BUTTER—Unchanged; creamery, 126,194c; dairy, 86,15c. EGGS—Again lower, at 10c. PORK—Lower; standard mess, jobbing, \$7,5068,37½. LARD—Lower; prime steam, \$157½; choice, \$3,55. BACON—Boxed shoulders, \$4,52; shorts, \$4,55. Liverpool, March 2.—WHEAT—Spot teadwiv, demand moderate: No. 2 red

Hashorts, clear, 94.00; ribs, 94.02; shorts, 94.75.

Liverpool. March 2.—WHEAT—Spot steady; demand moderate; No. 2 red. spring, 6s 2½d. Futures opened quiet with near and distant positions ½d higher; further strengthened and closed strong with July 1½d higher and other months 1½d higher; March, 6s 6½d; May, 6s 3½d. CORN—Spot steady; mixed, 2s 6d. Futures opened quiet with near and distant positions unchanged; closed firm with near positions ½d½d higher and distant positions ½d½d higher; March 2s 6d; April, 2s 7d; May, 2s 8d; June, 2s 8½d. FLOUR—Firm; St. Louis fancy winter, 8s 6d.

Dry Goods.

New York, March 2.—The day's demand and purchases turned out better than was premised at the opening.

Bleached cottons were taken in good quantity by several of the best distributing markets west of New York. Fancy cottons for pettleoats and dress wear had increased attention. Dress silks and cribbins are doing very well and so are men's wear goods. Brown cottons were moved well on old engagements, but new business was of moderate proportions. Foreign and domestic fancy worsted dress goods in steady request. Printing cloths more active and sales of about 75,000 pieces, contracts for May and July, at 2%c.

Rye and Seeds.

Chicago, March 2.—Rye—Cash, 34c; May, 25c. Flaxseed—Cash, 75c; May, 789784c. Timothy seed—Prime, \$2.6072.55. St. Louis, March 2.—Rye—25c, track. Flaxseed—75c. Timothy seed—Prime, \$2.6067.65. 2-65.
Toledo, O., March 2.—Rye—Dull. No. 2 cash, 36c. Clover seed—Quiet and weaker; prime cash and March, \$4.70.

New York, March 2.—Lead—Strong; brokers' price, \$3.65; exchange price, \$3.32½6 3.57½. Spelter—Quiet; domestic, \$4.0064.10. St. Louis, March 2.—Lead—Higher; quoted at \$3.1063.17½. Spelter—Strong; quoted at \$3.95.

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Stock Yards.

Liberal advantage of the posture feeding

Liberal advances made to parties feeding stock. Buying feeding cattle on orders a specialty. Correspondence solicited. Tele-phone No. 1822.

GROVER HAS THE GOUT.

The President Sick in Bed and May Not Participate in the Inaugural Ceremonies.

Washington, March 2.-President Cleveland has suffered for a week past from rheumatic gout, which has now assumed such proportions that there is some ques-tion whether or not he will be able to take part in the inaugural ceremonies at the capitol on March 4, although he is taking

part in the inaugural ceremonies at the capitol on March 4, although he is taking special care of himself in order that he may perform his part in the ceremonies. While his condition is not such as to excite any alarm, it is extremely painful. Secretary Thurber admitted to-day that the president was confined to his bed. Surgeon General Sternberg, of the army, was called in yesterday. He said that rest and nursing were all that was needed to put the president back on his feet, but he advised quiet and as little worry as possible over official duties.

For several days the president has been receiving no visitors and all his office work has been transacted sitting at his desk with one leg swathed in bandages and resting on a chair. To-day, he was not able even to go to his office. The president's condition is causing anxiety to senators and representatives of both parties, who fear that it may cause him to leave unsigned a number of minor bills of particular interest to the members who have been pushing them, and which otherwise would have received the president's signature before the closing of his term of office.

The last meeting of the cabinet was held to-day, but for the first time it was conducted without the presence of the chief magistrate. He remained in his private apartments, and all matters have been referred to him there.

COMMISSION FIRM FAILS.

Swartz Bros.' Commission Company of St. Louis, Assigns-Linbilities Not Known.

St. Louis, March 2.-The Swartz Bros. Commission Company made an assignment to-day to Joseph H. Zumbalen, a lawyer The assets consist of stocks, bonds, notes accounts and grain sacks. They are placed at \$300,000. Those not hypothecated, how-ever, amount to but \$2,000. The assignment caused no surprise, and was but little dis-cussed on 'change. The company consisted of Frederick Swartz, president; Herman Swartz, vice president, and William Sandwig, sec-retary.

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Henry Schultz, the firm's salesman on 'change, stated that the immediate cause of the failure was the downfall of the Mullanphy bank, so far as his information went. Assignee Zumbalen stated to a reporter that it was impossible to estimate the liabilities of the concern at present.

By some, the failure of the Mullanphy bank is ascribed partially to the embarrassment of the Swartz Bros.' Commission Company, which was revealed by the deeds of trust last week. It has been stated that upon the announcement of the filing of the deeds of trust, the Mullanphy bank was unable to have its paper cleared, as it held \$40,000 of the paper of the commission company.

ompany.

It was stated on 'change, after the deed
of assignment was filed, that the embarrassment of the commission company began some time ago and was caused primarily by losses in its connection with the Farmers' elevator and the litigation ac Farmers' elevator and the litigation companying them.

BIG CIGARETTE LICENSE.

Chicago Dealers Must Put Up \$100 i Year-Will Force Small Dealers to Quit the Sale.

Chicago, March 2.—The city council, by a unanimous vote, has passed an ordinance requiring every dealer in cigarettes in Chicago to pay an annuity of \$100 to the city cago to pay an annuity of \$100 to the city treasury. The law passed says that cigarettes cannot be sold within 200 feet of a school house. All sold by licensed dealers must have been inspected by the commissioner of health and receive his approval as to their purity. No cigarette can be sold which contains opium, morphine, gypsum or other poisonous matter. Any violation of these provisions of the ordinance passed by the council subjects the dealer to a fine of from \$50 to \$200 for each offense and \$25 for each day of the violation of the law. The number of packages sent to Chicago annually approximates 20,000,000. The downtown dealers say they will not feel the downtown dealers say they will not feel the expense of the license much, but in the suburbs the license will practically prohibit the sale. Mayor Swift will sign the ordinance, which goes into effect immediately.

Victory for San Pedro. Washington, March 2.—The board appointed by the president some months ago to examine and decide upon the location of a deep water harbor for commerce and refuge either at San Pedro or San Monica, in Scuthern California, to-day made its report to the secretary of war. It definitely defines the harbor at San Pedro at an estimated cost of \$2,901,787.

Pettis County Free From Debt. Sedalia, Mo., March 2.—(Special.) The Pettis county court to-day ordered the payment of the last \$10,000 of the bonded indebtedness of the Pettis county court house. The debt of \$100,000 was assumed in 1834 and the county is now free of debt.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CATTLE IN LIGHT SUPPLY, FIRMER AND GOOD DEMAND.

Hogs Stendy and Fairly Active-Light Tuesday's Run Favoring Sellers-Sheep in Good Demand, Shade Higher.

Western receipts past 24 hours:

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Cattle 4.699 3.000 2.500 3.409
Hogs 12,700 25,000 8.900 6.940
Sheep 3.700 11,000 300 2.800
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Cattle 4.100 2.000 2.800 1,700
Hogs 5.000 10,000 7.200 2.600
New York March 2.—Cables quote American steers at 104,461145c: sheep at 961 lic; refrigerator beef at 868%c. Exports, 750 beeves, 1.350 sheep and 2,470 quarters.

CATTLE—Movements past 24 hours:

Cattle Calves. Western receipts past 24 hours: Receipts 4,615 Receipts Drive-outs Week previous: Receipts.....

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We quote:
HORSES—Draft horses, good
1.250 to 1.450 pounds.
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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Continues Featureless, but Trade Fals in Most Offerings. Quotations below are for job lots. On small lots higher prices are asked and ob-tained, enough being asked to cover extra cost of caring for and filling them.

BUTTER—Sales continue slow, but prices unchanged. Quoted as follows: Creamery butter, extra fancy separator, I7c; firsts, f6c; dairy stock, fancy, I3c; fair, I9c; store packed, 8c; packing stock, steady, 6c; country roll, neatly packed, and sweet, I0c; choice, 9c; mussy, unwrapped stock, 768c. EGGS—Market unsettled and lower. Fresh Kansas and Missouri, 9½@93c; Southern, Ic less.

POULTRY—Movement fair and prices steady, Dressed sells slowly. Quoted as

Southern, ic less.

POULTRY-Movement fair and prices steady. Dressed sells slowly. Quoted as follows: Hens, 545½ per pound; roosters, 12c each; springs, firm and wanted, at 6½c; coarse young roosters, 17½ 20c each; broilers, from 1½ to 2 pounds, ic; capons, 525c. Turkeys, hens, 8c; old gobblers, 6c; young gobblers, ic. Ducks, 6½c, Geese, 5c; Pigeons, dull; practically no demand; nominally 75c per dozen.

BUTTERINE—We quote: Dairy grades, 11c; medlum grades, 12c; high grade, 14½c; 1-pound rolls, bricks and prints, 1c over above prices; 2 and 3-pound rolls, 10 and 20-pound packages, ½c over above prices.

CHEESE—Dull. New York and Ohio full cream, 12c; Wisconsin fancy, full cream, 10½c; Missouri, Kansas and lowa, full cream, 855c; light skim, 567c per pound; Herkimer, full cream, 12c; Young America, full cream, 10½gilc.

POTATOES—Steady and in fair demand. The quotations are as follows: Home

Herkimer, full cream, 12c; Young America, full cream, 194/gilc.

POTATOES—Steady and in fair demand. The quotations are as follows: Home grown, 25c per bushel in a small way, 25c in bulk car lots. Few growers are anxious to sell them in car lots. Wisconsin and Michigan Burbanks, 32c in car bulk lots, 46c in a small way; Pearls, 2c less; Early Ohios, 2c more; lowa stock, 24g25c in car bulk lots, 30g35c in a small way. Colorado Greeley stock, 60c in car lots, 65g70c in a small way.

SWEET POTATOES—Demand light. Good to choice, 25g25c per bushel; seed, 31.25g1.50 per barrel.

APPLES—Holding up very well, and in good demand. Quotations are as follows: Choice eating stock out of wagons, 45g 65c per bushel: inferior, 20g40c; cooking stock, 25g35c; Ben Davis, dull. 40c; Wine Saps, 50g60c, according to quality: Huntsman's Favorite, 50g75c per bushel for fancy stock; small supply Baldwins, 31.00g125 per barrel in a small way, Cold storage stock. Wine Saps and Huntsman's Favorite, 20g25c; ben barrel; other fancy table stock, 25.5g2.75. New York and Michigan stock, 21.50g1.55 in car lots, and 31.00g1.75 in barrel lots, according to quality.

FRUITS—California navels are very firm and the supply is short. Lemons, new crop. Sicily, fancy, 81.50; choice, 82.00 in a small way; California stock, 22.56g3.25 per box; California Ruby bloods, \$2.00g3.25; California navels, fancy, \$2.50g3.25 per box; California navels, fancy, \$2.50g3.25 per box; California navels, fancy, \$2.50g3.25 per box; Cape Cod. fancy, \$2.50g4.25; per barrel; \$1.75 per bushel box; Jersey, \$2.00g3.50 per box; Cape Cod. fancy, \$2.50g4.25; per barrel; \$1.75 per bushel box; Jersey, \$2.00g3.50 per box; Cape Cod. fancy, \$2.50g4.00; choice, \$2.50g2.55. Cape Cod. fancy, \$2.50g4.00; choice, \$2.50g2.55. Per bushel box; Jersey, \$2.00g3.50 per box; Cape Cod. fancy, \$2.50g4.00; choice, \$2.50g2.55. Per bushel box; Jersey, \$2.00g3.50 per box; Cape Cod. fancy, \$2.50g4.00; choice, \$2.50g2.50; per box; Cape Cod. fancy, \$2.50g4.00; per box; Cape Cod. fancy, \$2.50g4.00; per box;

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GAME—Weaker and slow sale. Quoted:
Wild geese, \$3.5964.00 per dozen; curlew,
\$1.50 per dozen. Salt water turtles, on order, 10c pound. Ducks, canvasbacks, Northern, \$6.00; Southern, \$4.00; mallards, \$2.256
2.65; redheads, \$2.2562.50; teal. green wing,
\$1.00; blue wing, \$1.25, and mixed, \$1.25 per
dozen. Shippers of game should not forget
that official inspection of game in Kansas
City is very rigid and that anything like
"off stock" is condemned by the local food
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NUTS—Cocoanuts, \$3.50@3.75 per 100;
Small lots, 50c per dozen; hazelnuts, 2½c per pound; pecans, Missouri, 5@5c per pound;
Texas, 6@5c, according to size; pecans, polished, 6@10c; Mexican pecans, 7@5c; peanuts, Virginia, white, raw, 4@5c per pound;
Tennessee, raw, 4@5c; roasted, 6½@7c; Kansas, 2½c; hickory nuts (large shellbark),
\$5c@45c; native walnuts, 50c per bushel; 5@45c; native walnuts, 50c per bushel pinon nuts, 12@18c per pound; butternuts c per bushel. VEGETABLES—Demand fair and un VEGETABLES—Demand fair and unchanged. Cabbage and onions are firm and command good prices. Cabbage, fancy. New York Holland, \$1.6021.75 per 100 pounds; red cabbage, \$2.50 per 100 pounds. Onions, scarce; flat. Globe, yellow, fancy, in 10-peck barrels, \$3.5063.75, or \$1.50 per bushel; Red Globe, \$1.5061.55. Beets, fancy, 40c per bushel; Bermuda beets, 75c per dozen bunches in a small way. Turnips, 20625c per bushel. Carrots, 25c per bushel. Callfornia celery, active; standard size, 20640c. Parsnips, 25635c per bushel. Lettuce, fresh, 75c per half bushel basket. Horseradish, 55c631.00 per bushel. Callifornia cauliflower, 3 dozen in crate, \$3.00. Canadian rutabagas, 1c pound. Radishes (shipped), dull and without demand, 20640c per dozen bunches. Spinach continues dull, 90c631.00 per bushel. Salsify, 15c dozen, 2 dozen for 25c in a small way.

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BEESWAX—Quoted at 2040c per pound. FURS—Raccoon, large, 40650c; medium, 30440c; small, 25c. Skunk, black, 55@55c; short striped, 35@45c; narrow striped, 25@30c; broad striped, 5610c. Mink, large, 40 650c; medium, 40650c; small, 25c. Opossum, large, 8c; medium, 5c; small, 2c; early caught, worthless. Muskrat, fall, 5c; winter, 7c; spring, 10c. Civets, prime, 10c. Fox, gray, 40650c; red, 60675c. Wolf, mountain, \$1.0062.00; prairie, 25@50c; Wildcat, 15@25c. Beaver, large, \$6.00; medium, \$4.50; small, \$1.0062.00. Badger, 104650c. Otter, prime, large, \$6.00; prime medium, \$4.0064.50; prime small, \$2.0062.50. Bear, \$15.00 and down, as to size and quality.

to size and quality. Stocks of Provisions in Kansas City, As reported to the board of trade at the close of February: Feb. 27, Jan. 30, Feb. 29, Feb. 27, Jan. 30, Feb. 29, 1897. 189 Provisions.

A very good cash demand continues for most hog product and values steady. In car lots, however, there was less doing under the influence of a weaker nog market. But while buyers were backward, packers were not disposed to force sales. We quote car lots:

GREEN MEATS—Shoulders, #1.064.35 per cwt.; hams, \$7.508.75.

LARD—Cash, \$3.75; February, \$3.75.

SWEET PICKLED MEATS—Hams, \$8.00 68.75; shoulders, \$4.364.75.

D. S. MEATS—Shoulders, cash, \$4.1064.35 per cwt.; short rib sides, cash, \$4.1564.20; long clear sides, \$4.1564.20; short clear sides, \$4.2564.30.

Liquors for Kansas Shipped daily in secure packages by GEORGE EYSSELL. Druggist. Opposite waiting room, Union depot.

OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN.

GREAT LIVE STOCK MARKET OF THE FUTURE WILL BE HERE.

February's Cattle Receipts Showed an Increase Over Those of Chicago of 13,298-Chicago Fell Behind 12,397 Head.

No one can study the workings of the two markets, Kansas City and Chicago, without feeling that the great mart of the future is to be here at Kansas City. The receipts of cattle for February here at Kansas City showed an increase of 13,298. In Chicago the cattle receipts for the same month showed a decrease of 12,397, and dur-ing January and February Kansas City made a gain in its cattle receipts of 42,607. while Chicago during the same time made a decrease of 60,960. Kansas City during February made a gain of 50 per cent in its hog receipts, while Chicago the same month made an increase of only 26 per cent. Kanmore sheep than the same month last year, while Chicago had in 14,332 less. The tide of the live stock trade has set this way and nothing seems able to stem it.
Jay H. Neff. of the Drovers' Telegram, is in Washington attending the inaugural common of the state of the stat m washington attending the inaugurar ceremonies.

The firm of Scaling & Tamblyn has been succeeded by Tamblyn & Tamblyn, Colonel W. L. and George S. Tamblyn making up the new firm.

Captain J. H. Waite, who was shot by John Parkinson a week ago, is fast recovering from his wound and its shock.

Visitors at the Yards With Stock.

F. R. Wall, Bala, Kas., came in yester-F. E. Young, Bolen, Mo., was in yester-day with hogs.

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C. H. Kemper, Linn, Kas., was here yesterday with hogs.
Edgar Wood, Ottawa county, came in yesterday with hogs.
J. F. Guilky, Coffeyville, Kas., was in yesterday with cattle.
Jefferson & Williams, Nuckells county.

yesterday with cattle.

Jefferson & Williams, Nuckolls county,
Neb., had in hogs yesterday.

J. Weishauer, Inman, Kas., was on the
yards yesterday with hogs.

Ellis & Heiner, Allen county, Kas., had
in cattle and hogs yesterday.

George W. Miller, Pawnee City, Neb.,
came in yesterday with cattle. George Vandeventer, Fawnee City, Neo, came in yesterday with cattle.

George Vandeventer, Union Star, Mo., was here yesterday with hogs.
George C. Ryan, Mound Valley, Kas., came in yesterday with cattle.
George Bingman, Bavaria, Kas., was on the yards yesterday with hogs.

J. Linden, Osborn county, Kas., was at the yards yesterday with hogs.
Frank Moore, Belvidere, Kas., was here yesterday with cattle and hogs.
Charles Weil, Overbrook, Kas., was in yesterday with cattle and hogs.
Pat Green, Crawford county, Kas., came in yesterday with cattle and hogs.
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Pat Green, Crawford county, Kas., came in yesterday with cattle and hogs.
Champ Workman, Tarsney, Mo., was at the yards yesterday with cattle and hogs.
T. Blackford, Sallne county, Mo., was on the yards yesterday with cattle and hogs.
It. Fagan and John A. Thompson, Johnson county, Mo., were at the yards yesterday with cattle and hogs.
W. H. Mills, Norton, Mo., was at the yards yesterday with hogs. He says cattle are short in Carroll county, but hogs more plentiful than last year. Corn selling at 15c. Young wheat looks badly.

OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE.

lengtors Still Introducing Bills-Another Text Book Measure-The . Anti-Militia Bill Killed.

Guthrie, O. T., March 2.-(Special.) With only eight days remaining, senators are in-troducing new bills. With a measure on this subject already through the house and two being considered by the council, Sen-ator Johnston has introduced a bill for the ator Johnston has introduced a bill for the uniformity of text books. Its major proposition is for a book commission to do the purchasing. Three members of the text book lobby were seen standing near at hand. Editor Isenberg brought a bill over from the Rock Island, providing that railroads give their stations the names of the towns through which they run. It was introduced in the council this morning. Within eight minutes, emergencies had been declared twice, and the bill was passed with iowns through which they run. It was introduced in the council this morning. Within eight minutes, emergencies had been declared twice, and the bill was passed with one dissenting vote. It is now in the house. When once a law, this measure will wipe out the last vestige of the Cherokee Strip townsite fights between the railroads and the people. Mr. Speaker and many members spent the morning in the council waiting for the school land bill's consideration, but the calendar was ignored and other matters taken up, thus again postponing the big fight. Jack Love, a grazier, who has fenced townships on which he has no lease, is here cooperating with those fighting the school lessees' measure. Johnston's prohibitive cigarette bill went to a second reading, under an emergency declaration. It is likely to become law. The last legislature passed a similar measure, some chance misplacement alone keeping the governor from signing it. Senator Lynch's plan for removing the agricultural college to Ponca City ran its length by an acceptance of the minority report against it. Senator Gould's bill for the establishment of a blind, deaf and dumb asylum at El Reno was reported favorably. Johnston's bill for locating a \$30.000 penitentiary at Perry is reported favorably. The Poury member of the lower house has a similar bill, also reported favorably. The house bill doing away with the militia died in the council, but three votes being cast in its favor. The debate invoked much "blue and gray" memory. Everyone explained his vote until Lynch made his first speech. He said: "I am for the militia and will not tell why, because no one cares and it is no one's business." The council measure appropriating for the payment of territorial officers' back salaries, instead of being taken up by the committee of the whole, was referred to committee.

A bill passed the house providing that all mortgages on property held in the reservations are attached. The Willis text book bill came up for the house final vote. The author's suggestion of insincer in eight minutes, emergencies clared twice, and the bill wa

BICYCLE BOOM IN GERMANY.

More Wheels Will Re Sold There This Year Than Ever Before-All Chenp Ones.

Washington, March 2.-Germany's blevcle business in 1897 is to beat all previous records, says United States Consul Moneghan, at Chemnitz, in a report to the state department. Great preparations are being made to meet enormous demands. Many of the factories that failed last year to meet demands have doubled their capacity and output. Many of the larger concerns will deliver from 20,000 to 40,000 wheels. One company near Nuremberg is shipping 1,000 wheels each week. The works have already taken orders for their full capacity this year, yet orders continue to flow in. The consul says there is a big business to be done by any American company that will place a neat, light and substantial wheel on the German market at from \$50 to \$55-a \$100 wheel cannot be sold. records, says United States Consul Mono-

Ran a Small Attachment. A writ of attachment was served by Sheriff Stone's deputies yesterday on the interests of Sarah Logan and Lizzie Flynn in certain lots in Walnut Grove, this city, to secure \$225 alleged to be due to Frank P. Walsh.

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